

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF PUNJAB & HARYANA AT
CHANDIGARH**

CRM-M-25814 of 2017.

Decided on:- September 26, 2019.

Sumit Singla.

.....Petitioner.

Versus

State of Punjab and another

.....Respondents.

CORAM: HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE HARI PAL VERMA.

Present:- Mr. Vibhor Bansal, Advocate
for the petitioner.

Mr. Sukhbeer Singh, A.A.G., Punjab.

Mr. Gaurav Singla, Advocate for
Mr. Ankur Mittal, Advocate
for respondent No.2.

HARI PAL VERMA, J. (Oral)

The petitioner has filed the present petition under Section 438 Cr.P.C. seeking anticipatory bail in the event of his arrest in FIR No.236 dated 24.06.2017 under Sections 323, 406 and 498-A IPC registered at Police Station Zirakpur, District SAS Nagar Mohali.

Learned counsel for the parties are *ad idem* that the matter has been settled between the parties before the Mediation and Conciliation Centre of this Court. The petitioner and respondent No.2 have agreed that they will file a petition under Section 13-B of the Hindu Marriage Act, 1955 at Mohali within 10 days from the date of sale deed in favour of the complainant.

Learned counsel for the petitioner has submitted that in terms of the settlement so arrived between the parties on 17.09.2019 before the mediation, the sale deed for a plot measuring 150 square yards has been executed in favour of the complainant.

This fact has not been disputed by learned counsel for respondent No.2-complainant.

I have heard learned counsel for the parties.

Since the matter has been compromised between the parties, the present petition is allowed and the interim bail granted to the petitioner vide order dated 20.07.2017 is made absolute.

However, if required, the petitioner shall continue to join investigation as and when required to do so and shall abide by the terms and conditions, as laid down under Section 438(2) Cr.P.C.

It is made clear that the parties shall adhere to the terms and conditions of the settlement so arrived before the Mediator which is made part of the record. If any party violates the any term or condition so incorporated and agreed by them in the settlement/compromise dated 17.09.2019, it shall be liable to contempt proceedings.

September 26, 2019
Yag Dutt

(HARI PAL VERMA)
JUDGE

Whether speaking/reasoned: Yes

Whether Reportable: No